

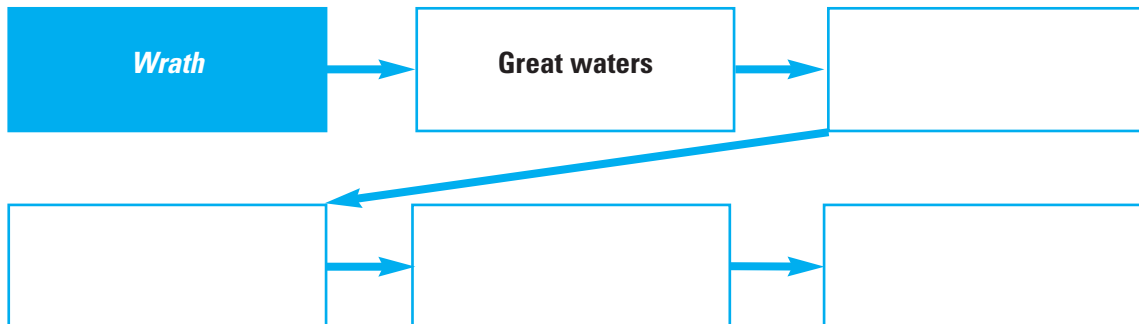
APPLY THE SKILLS

from Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God

1. **Literary Analysis:** What is the main message of Edwards's **sermon**?

2. **Literary Analysis:** Edwards uses fear in his **sermon** to motivate his congregation. Why do you think that this strategy works well for his purpose?

3. **Connect:** Identify five symbols that Edwards uses to describe God's wrath. Use this chart.



4. **Reading Strategy:** Use **context clues** to define the underlined word: “you are every day treasuring up more wrath; the waters are constantly rising, and waxing more and more mighty . . .”

5. **Evaluate:** Given his purpose and his audience, do you think Edwards's sermon was effective? Why or why not?
